

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**  
**(Large Entity)**

Docket No.  
43869.015100

In Re Application of NICAISE, P.

Serial No.  
09/554,843

Filing Date  
May 19, 2000

Examiner  
Knepper, D.

Group Art Unit  
2654

Invention: **PROCESS FOR ENCODING SPEECH USING PRIMAYR CODE WORDS AND TERMINALS FOR IMPLEMENTING THE PROCESS**

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TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of February 3, 2004 above-identified application.  
*Date*

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

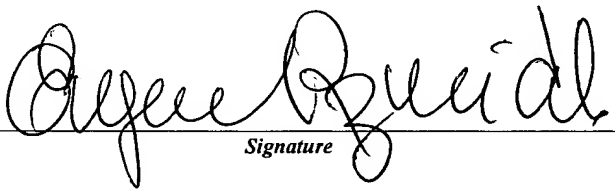
☒ One month    ☐ Two months    ☐ Three months    ☐ Four months    ☐ Five months

from: May 3, 2004  
*Date*

until: June 3, 2004  
*Date*

The fee for the extension of time is **\$110** and is to be paid as follows:

- ☐ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. **50-1561**
- ☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. **50-1561**

  
*Signature*

Dated: **June 2, 2004**

**Eugene C. Rzucidlo**  
**Reg. No. 31,900**  
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I certify that this document and fee is being deposited on \_\_\_\_\_ with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and is addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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